The Remarkable Speed of the Steamer Newport News.

A Large Number of Guests on Board on Her Trial Trip. Several Ladies Present. Opinions of the U. S. . Inspectors, Dinner on

Board. The Vessel.

taken the Louise at 7 o'clock.

The morning was delightful, a clear sky with just enough wind from the northeast to whet the appetite and give color to the cheek.

THE SHIP'S WHARF, The Newport News was at the wharf next to the dry-dock and was verily a magnificent floating palace. She was already prepared for the reception of the officials and their guests. It would be hard to create anything for marine navigation more beautiful, with her artistically designed carpets, furniture estistically designed carpets, furniture elegantly uphoistered, massive bronze chandeliers, from which sparkled bundreds of electric lights, delicately tinted walls and massive mirrors, a boat was presented the equal in richness and elegance of any that ever plughed the waters of Hampton Roads.

The Newport News was during the afternoon visited by a large number of persons and there were only words of

persons and there were only words of the highest praise. Everybody in that town feels proud of this ship and all Virginians

MAY BE CONGRATULATED

that within the boaders of the old Commonwealth there is a plant capable

off doing such work.

While steam was being gotten up the officials of the Norfolk and Washing ton Line, the stip building company, prominent citizens of Newport News and others were brought together in the many salvos. There was a constant of the consta prominent citizens of New prominent citizens concluding with beautiful poetic lines, presented to the steamship Newport News, from the citizens of the city of Newport News.

AMAGNIFICENT SALOON TABLE.

It was a very appropriate speech. Responses were made by President Wm. E. Clark, Vice President Levi Woodbury, General Attorney Col. A. T. Britton and General Superintendent John Callahan. Calls were then made for Mr. C. B. Oreutt, the president of the Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company Mr. Oceant, consequences of the Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company Mr. Oceant approach pany. Mr. Orduit expressed his ap prediction that the vessel had been named after Virginia's prosperous

young port.

This informal meeting was a pleasant affair, greatly enjoyed by all present, ladies and gentlemen alike. At 10:30 the vessel was gotten under steam and moved out of the harbor down the Roads to Old Point, Just after passing Old Point light her full power was turned on and the going qualities of the new vessel was put to

that in accepting the steamer Newport News, the directors desire to record their recognition of the ability, integrity and skill with which General Manager John Callaban has supervised the construction of the company's boats and the successful conduct of its gen-eral business."

After adopting the above the president was directed to pay over the balance of the purchase money and secured notes and to accept boat with requisite bill of sale, liceuse and enrollment. HER OFFICERS,

The final test of the speed of the new Norfolk and Washington Line steamer Newport News, took place sterday and was a great success. The lold, and her staterooms will accompesterday and was a great success. The lold, and her staterooms will accompediate 300 passengers. She is about different feet longer than the steamer steamer Newport News, took place yesterday and was a great success. The splendid vessel making 21 2-10 miles per hour against strong breeze and logh seas.

The Washington steamer which arrived here yesterday morning brought down from the capital the officials and a number of prominent Washington people. After the steamer touched at her wharf in this city, she proceeded to Newport News, reaching the shipbuilding works at 9 o'clock. There were already upon the ground several persons from Norfolk, who had saved a number of prominent washington people. After the steamer touched at her wharf in this city, she proceeded to Newport News, reaching the shipbuilding works at 9 o'clock. There were already upon the ground several persons from Norfolk, who had saved the Louise at 7 o'clock.

When the Newport News returned to the shippard, the company served on the vessel, under the direction of Mr. J. R. Swinerton, of the Hotel Warwick, a very elegant dinner, which was immensely enjoyed by about 100 gnests, ladies and gentlemen. The Newport News came to Norfolk in the afternoon, arriving at the wharf here at 5:30, and was given a vigorous wel come by every steamer in the harbor. She left for Washington City on schedule time last evening, and it is believed will behave well on her first

trip.

OPINION OF THE INSPECTORS. General Dumont, Supervising In-spector of Steam Vessels, was present and witnessed the performances of the new vessel, and said she was the fastest boat running into this port (about four miles an hour faster than the steamer Norfolk, of the same line.) Local In-Norfolk, of the same line.) Local In-spectors Johnson and Nicholson were also on board and watched very carefully the working of the new steamer, and said she rolled less than any steamer they had ever seen. They believed she would easily make twenty three miles an hour.

and Mrs. Walter H. Jones took place from the family residence, No. 126 from the family residence, No. 126 Holt street, yesterday afternoon at 5

Fletcher Wrench, whose policy shop at the corner of Scott and Salter streets, was raided Saturday night by Sergeants Taylor and Kirchmier and Sergeants Taylor and Kirchmier and Officers Williams, Richardson and others, was arraigned before Justice Burroughs in the Police Court yesterday, with Mr. John G. Tilton as counsel, and sent on to the Corporation Court on two charges—one for conducting a gambling house, and the other for promoting lottery. The accused was required to give a bond of \$200 upon each charge. conducting a gambling house, and the other for promoting lottery. The accused was required to give a bond of \$200 upon each charge.

Moses Johnson, colored, known as "Dude," who was connected with the running of the place, was also sent on under bond of \$200, on a charge of writing policy. The other men found in the place were discharged.

Police to:

25 years of age, on the charge of "smoking cigarettes on the street." When Martha was carried into police headquarters and arraigned before Sergeant Taylor, who was on duty at the desk at the time, she said that sit had not been smoking cigarettes, but that the officer had arrested her because she had obtained a warrant yesterday afternoon for one Matthe Strick.

Police Court.

Wm. Claibian, colored, using pro-fane language; fined S1 and costs.

Louisa Appleton and Clara Hatha-way, white, keeping a house of ill-fame; fined \$20 and costs and given

one hour in jail.

Annie Higgins, white, keeping a house of ill-fame; case continued.

Resolved, That in the opinion of the Board of Directors of the Norfolk and Washington, D. C., Steamboat Company, the steamer Newport News has been completed in all respects in satisfactory compliance with the contract of the company with the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company and is hereby accepted."

The many friends of Mr. H. S. Bailey, city editor of the Landmark, and his estimable wife will be pained to learn of the death, at an early nour the contract of the company with the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company and is hereby accepted."

The many friends of Mr. H. S. Manager.

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LIGHT, BRIGHT AND NEWSY

Put to Record.

Of Those at Home and Abroad.

Beginning of the Excursion

and Picnic Season.

Mr. Harry Wertheimer, formerly of Norfolk, but now of New York, is visit-ing his parents in Holt street. While here his friends are giving him a good time.

The funeral of the infant son of Mr.

In the Corporation Court yesterday

of the estate of Laura B. Jakeman and M. E. Jakeman, was required to give additional bond of \$300 in each estate. Argument in the case of the Vir-ginia Fire and Marine Insurance Com-

pany vs. Savage, was heard in the Court of Law and Chaucery yesterday, and Judge Martin took the case under

A New Criminal Charge.

Officer Titmus last night arrested Martha Bilinps, scolored woman about 25 years of age, on the charge of

terday afternoon for one Mattie Strick-land, also colored, who lives in the vicinity of Avon street. Martha was locked up to answer the charge this morning, while Mattie will wait until the High Constable serves the warrant on her.

Charged With Assaulting Women.

on her.

vention at Bayside to-morrow.

time.

times Phillips & west's School. The closing exercises of Misses Phillips & West's School took place at the Masonic Temple Monday evening, and were witnessed only by the members of the school and a number of former Yesterday's Items Gathered in and

pupils.
The following certificates were ward-Mention of Personal Matters and the Doings of the People Generally,

The following certificates were warded: Certificates of Distinction to all who had attained an average of .75 in class and examination standing.

Prizes in the Preparatory Department: For Learning the Multiplication Table—Mary Selona Tebault,

English Scholarship—Frances Bernard Couper.

nard Couper. Gold Certificates, average of '90 and Dr. Price Murray, of Atlanta, is in the city.
Judge T. H. Willcox, of this city,
addressed the alumni of Blacksburg upwards—Carrie Vernon Archer, Fan-nie Lee Berry, Lucille Carrington Bilisoly, Mary F. Bradford Burwell, College yesterday.

Persons wishing to attend the Lee
meetings on North Park avenue take
the Brambleton car.

Bilisoly, Mary F. Bradford Burwell,
Josephine Wisiger Cooke, Lizzie Rose
Foster, Lizzie Moss Grubb, Eya
Louise Hope, Agnes May Jordan,
Emma Martiu Jordan, Annie Claire
Kellam, Lotta Gertrade Koeb, Janie
Lovitt, Eliza Marsden, Ruth Hannaford Martin, Claude Wilsou Miles,
May Lemuel Perry, Annie Cogbil
Schanck, Mary Isabella Truxtun,
Dorothy Bradford Walke, Mary Louisa
White, Jennie Wrenn. Moses Solomon, a native of Rouma-nia, was granted full naturalization papers in the Corporation Court yespapers in the Corporation Court yes-terday.

The Sunday school of Granby Street M. E. Church gave a very largely attended pionic at Ocean View yesterday.

Mr. Seron, a Jewis rabbi, qualified and gave bond in the Court

Dorothy Bradford Walke, stary Louisa White, Jennie Wrenn, Gioid Medals—Physical Culture— Jennie Wrenn, Penmanship: Ruth Hannaford Marand gave bond in the Corporation Court yesterday to perform the marringe rite.

Do not forget the moonlight excur-

Penmanship: Rith mannature state tit, Irene Phebe Scott.
Attendance: Edua Earl Jones.
General Excellence: Agnes May Jordar, Lizzie Moss Grubb was a very close contestant for this bonor. Do not forget the moonlight excursion to Old Point and the Capes on Friday, the 21st instant, for the benefit of the Girls' Home.

A party of about fifteen ladies and gentlemen of Berkley went to Lake Drummond yesterday morning in the nanthalaunch Crissia. English Scholarship—Average of 95 and upwards: Intermediate Depart-ment, Second Class—Annie Claire naptha launch Crissie,
Rev. Mr. Anderson, of North Carolina, will preach at the Burrows' Memorial Church, Lambert's Point, to

Kellam. Academic Department, Fourth Class

Lizzie Moss Grubb, Mary Louiss

morral Church, Lambert's Point, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Police Officer Hampshire, who was
injured a few weeks, has had an operation performed by Dr. Hunter, and
will very shortly return to duty.

Circle No. 2 of King's Daughters will
hold their regular meeting this afternoon, at 6 o'clock, in the pastor's study
of Granby Street M. E. Church.

Mr. Harry Werthelpren, White.
Third Class—Mary F. Bradford Burwell, Lotta Gertrude Koch, Eliza Marsden, Mary Isabella Truxton, Dorothy Bradford Walke.

Marine Items.

The tags Mamie and Louisa were bauled out at Graves' ship yard yesterday to be overhauled.

It is said that the Italian bark Motis,

now at Baltimore, will come to Norfolk to load staves for Trapini, Italy. Capt. Timothy Ruggles has finished driving piles for the Quarantine Sta-tion at Fisherman's Island.

The steamer Northampton has come off the ways at Graves' surp-yard.

Exentsion Friday sight. If you miss that moonlight excursion on steamer Pocahontas Friday night, 21st, you miss a treat. It is well worth Mr. A. S. J. Jakeman, administrator 21st, you miss a treat. It is well wort of the estate of Laura B. Jakeman and your patronage. See advertisement.

Vital Statistics.

The following is a summary of the report of vital statistics for the month of May, as prepared by Dr. Charles R. Vance, registrar of the Board of Health: Vance, registrar of the Board of Health: Total number of deaths, 97, divided as follows: White 42, black 55. The lo-calities were: Almshouse, 3, St. Vin-cent Hospital, 4; First Ward, 20; Sec-ond Ward, 3; Third Ward, 9; Fourth Ward, 41; Fifth Ward, 11; Sixth Ward, 5. The number of births was 63—24 white and 39 colored. and single match took the case dates advisement.

The regular weekly meeting of the Norfolk W. O. T. U. will be held at 12 o'clock to-day in the Y. M. O. A. parlor, A full attendance is desired, in order to prepare for the district convention at Bayside to-morrow.

Excursion Wednesday Night
The excursion given for the benefit
of the Sacred Heart Church, on steamer Pocahontas on Wednesday night to
Old Point and the Capes, promises to
be a delightful affair, All arrangements have been made for the comfort
and pleasure of all who go. This is for
the benefit of a most worthy cause and
none should fail to contribute towards
same. Exeursion Wednesday Night same.

Wanted the Bottles.

A beer bottler applied to Sergeant A beer bottler applied to Sergeant Taylor at police headquarters last night for the beer bottles and boxes captured in the raid on Fletcher Wrench's alleged "speak-easy" and policy shop a few days ago. The sergeant referred him to Justice Burroughs, but ventured the opinion that the goods would be held as evidence against Wrench. John Kelley, white, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Knapp on a warrant sworm out by a colored woman named Gertrade Austin, who charged that Kelley had assaulted her with a clothes prop, beat and kicked, and threatened to kill her. He was pailed for his appearance this

Serving the regard and the stream trip, ber captain care and the stream trip, ber captain care and trip, ber captain car

Do not fail to see Dr. Week about

WEATHER REPORT. Forecast for To-day.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 19, 1823 For Wirginia: Fair; Southerly winds, FAIR

For North Carolina: Fair; portheast-erly winds.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—Sun rises, 4:46; sun sets 7:27. High water, 6:41 and 6:20 a. m.; low water 12:10 and 12:92 p. m.

Local Meteorological Data. [FOR 24 HOURS ENDING 8 O'CLOCK LAST NIGHT.]
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, Weather Bureau, Local Office, Dodson Building, Nosfolk, Va., June 17, 1895,

Maximum temperature...... Minimum temperature...... Normal temperature deducted from 20

month J. J. Gray, Observer

New York Truck Market. By Southern Associated Pross

New York, June 18.—Cucumbers—Charleston, basket, 60ca\$1.00; do, Sayannab, crate, 50ca90c, Cabbages-Norfolk, barrel crate, 50cs

Peas—Eastern Shore, basket, 30a50c; do, Maryland, do, 40a50c; do, Norfolk,

do, 30a50c. Egg Plant-Florida, half barrel, \$2.00a3.00.
Ouions-Virginia and Maryland,

potato, basket, \$1,00a1.50. Potatoes—Southern rose, \$2a\$3.75 do, Chili red, \$2,00a\$3.50; do white, \$3.00a\$3.25; do poor to fair, \$1.50a\$2.00; do, seconds, \$1.25a1.75; do, culls, 75ca\$1.

String beans—North Carolina wax, basket, 75caS1.75; do green, do, 50ca S1.50; do Norfolk wax, do, \$1.75a2.75; do green, do, \$1.50a2.75;

S1.00; do Norious wax, do, \$1.75a2.75; do greeu, do, \$1.50a2.75.
Squash—Florids, marrow, crate, \$1.00a\$1.25,
Tomatoes—Florids, choice, carrier,

75c: do, common, do, 50ca60c. Muskmelons-Florida, barrel, \$1.50a 3.50; do, basket, 75ca\$1.50. Cherries-Pound, 2ca7c.

Blackberries-North Carolina, quart, 10a15a

Giooseberries, prime, quart, 4ca5c. Huckleberries — North Carolin quart, 60a10c.
Peaches—Georgia, carrier, \$1.00a
2.50; do, North and South Carolina
do, \$1.50a2.50;

Plums—Georgia, wild goose, carrier, \$2,00a2.50; do, do, case, \$1a1.25, Watermelons—Florida and Georgia,

per bundred, \$12a25; do, do, carload \$150a275.

New York Truck Market. New York, June 17.—Potstoes, Rose, \$2.00a3.325; cabbage, 51c; peas, half barrel, 20a40c; beans, wax and green, half barrel, \$2.25a2.75. PALMER & FROST.

Interesting Naval News.

By Southera Associated Pross.

Washington, June 18, —The cruisers Atlanta and Cincinnati left New York yesterday afternoon immediately after participating in the Harlem canal opening for New London, Conn., where the crews are to be landed to take part in the market of the process. erews are to be landed to take part in the parade of the society of the Army of the Potomacto-day. ... The gunbout Petrel arrived at Wu

The gunboat Petrel arrived at Wu Hu China to day en route to Haukow, whither she goes to protect the mission-aries who have recently been in danger in one of the remote provinces of

Medical Inspector G. W. Woods,

Medical Inspector G. W. Woods, Surgeon G. T. Winslow and R. A. Marmion, Lieutenants C. W. Jungan and J. R. Blise, and Ensigns R. J. Hartung and H. A. Field have been ordered to examination for promotion. The torpedo boat Cushing arrived at Newport, R. I., yesterday afternoon. Lieut. Fletcher, reports that his run South, through inland waters, was a great success and that the southerners were greatly interested in his cruise, and they hope for the opening up of these creeks and sounds for commercial purposes.

MONUMENTS AND HEADSTONES.

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Past Masters are fraternally invited.
By order of the W. M., GPO R. IENKINS

GEO. B. JENKINS. Ledger copy.

HEADQUARTERS

NERRIETER SHAW CAMP, C. V.,

BERRIET, V.A., June 13, 1895.

A TTENTION COMRADES—You are called

to meet THURSDAY AFTERNOON,

June 2ath, at 4:30 p. m., for Memorial services. All ec-Confederate Soldiers are inyited to participate.

vices. All ec-Confederate business; vited to participate.
P. PHITCHARD, Commander.
Edward Rude, Adjunant. [119-3t]
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EXCURSION.

EXCURSIONS.

GO ON THIS ONE !

A GRAND MOONLIGHT EXCURSION,

For the benefit of the new Catholic Church, York street, Will take place on

Wednesday, June 19th.

The King's Daughters will give an EX-CURSION TO VIRGINIA BEACH FRIDAY, the 21st instant, for benefit of Hare Memo-rial Home. Fare for the round trip, 50c, good on a'l trains.



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